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In re Application of:

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Serial No.: 10/099,860

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For: Polyethylene/Low Molecular Weight

Hydrogenated Aliphatic Resin Blends

Group Art Unit: 1713

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND **TO NOTICE DATED AUGUST 9, 2002**

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants petition for an extension of time of twomonths to and including September 17, 2002 in which to respond to the notice dated April 17, 2002.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, a check in the amount of \$400.00 is enclosed, which is the process fee for a two-month extension of time.

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Respectfully submitted,

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U.S. Patent Application S.N. 10/099,860; Entitled: POLYETHYLENE/LOW

MOLECULAR WEIGHT HYDROGENATED ALIPHATIC RESIN BLENDS

Inventoria: Color at al. CRC Reference 21297

Inventors: Golze et al.; CPC Reference: 21287

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Enclosed herewith are the following:

- (1) A copy of Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional);
- (2) Figure 1 through Figure 7 on 6 sheets;
- (3) A Request for an Extension of Time of two-months to and including September 17, 2002;
- (4) A check in the amount of \$400.00 as the fee for the two-month extension of time; and

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